### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION I - BOSTON

CLASS. NO. 1200 DELEGATION NO. 14-14-G

**DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY** 

**DATE:** January 16, 2004

## THE COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, COMPENSATION, AND LIABILITY ACT (CERCLA)

14-14-G. Eligible Response Sites

#### 1. PURPOSE AND LEGAL AUTHORITY.

- A. <u>Purpose</u>. To redelegate the authorities contained in Delegation 14-14-G issued by EPA Headquarters on July 28, 2003.
- B. <u>Authority</u>. Pursuant to Section 101(41)(B)(ii) of the CERCLA, as amended, to make determinations on a site-by-site basis that limitations on enforcement under Section 128 would be appropriate and will protect human health and the environment, and will promote economic development or facilitate the creation of, preservation of, or addition to a park, greenway, undeveloped property, recreational property, or other property used for nonprofit purposes.

#### 2. TO WHOM DELEGATED.

- A. The Director, Office of Site Remediation and Restoration (OSRR).
- B. The Director, OSRR, further redelegates this authority to the Chiefs, Emergency Planning and Response Branch; Remediation and Restoration I Branch; Remediation and Restoration II Branch; and the Technical and Support Branch, who may exercise this authority independently.
- 3. <u>REDELEGATION AUTHORITY</u>. This authority may not be redelegated.
- 4. <u>LIMITATIONS</u>. The Director or his/her delegatees must exercise this authority in consultation with the Assistant Administrator for Enforcement and Compliance Assurance (OECA) and the Assistant Administrator for Solid Waste and Emergency Response (OSWER), or their designees. The Assistant Administrator, OECA, and the Assistant Administrator, OSWER, or their designees, may waive, in whole or in part, this limitation by memorandum.

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- 5. <u>ADDITIONAL REFERENCES</u>.
  - A. Sections 101(39), 101(41) and 128 of CERCLA.
- B. Sections 211 and 231 of the Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act.
  - C. Executive Order 13308, June 20, 2003.
- 6. <u>SUPERSESSION</u>. None.

Robert W. Varney
Regional Administrator

1/13/04 Date

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Susan Studlien, Acting Director Office of Site Remediation and Restoration

1/16/04 Date